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On page 8, line 23, after the "in" and before the word "or" please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:17" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NO:28--.

On page 8, line 29, after the "in" and before the word "or" please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:18" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NO:29--.

On page 9, line 5, after the "in" and before the word "or" please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:19" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NO:30--.

On page 9, line 11, after the "in" and before the word "or" please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:20" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NO:31--.

On page 9, line 17, after the "in" and before the word "or" please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:21" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NO:32--.

On page 9, line 23, after the "in" and before the word "or" please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:22" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NO:33--.

On page 9, line 29, after the "in" and before the word "or" please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:23" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NO:34--.

On page 10a, after page 10 and before page 11, at the top of the page, please cancel the page number "10a" and substitute in its place --11--. Please renumber all remaining pages accordingly.

On page 10a, line 19, please cancel the phrase "SEQ ID NO:7 or 9 or 10 or 12 or 14 or 16" and substitute in its place --SEQ ID NOS: 7-8 or 10 or 13-14 or 16-20 or 22-27--.

Please cancel page 17 from the word "The" to the word "20".

On page 19, in the table "Summary of sequence identity numbers", line 11, under the heading "SEQ ID NO." after the number "7", please add --and 8--.

On page 19, in the table "Summary of sequence identity numbers", line 11, under the heading "Description" please cancel the word "sequence", and substitute in its place --sequences--.

On page 19, in the table "Summary of sequence identity numbers", line 12, under the heading "SEQ ID NO." please cancel the number "8", and substitute in its place --9--.

On page 19, in the table "Summary of sequence identity numbers", line 13, under the heading "SEQ ID NO." please cancel the number "9", and substitute in its place --10--.

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